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ORDINARY MEETING

WEDNESDAY, 1ST SEPTEMBER, 1948, at 5.30 p.m.

AGENDA

1. Confirmation of the Proceedings of the Ordinary Meeting held on 7th July, 1948.
2. Recommendations of candidates for Fellowship.
3. Announcement of election of new Fellows.
4. Additions to the Library.

Presented.

Hoffer, E. *Illustriertes Schmetterlingsbuch*. 8vo. Vienna [1890]. [Mr. R. L. E. Ford].

Box, H. E. *Informe preliminar sobre los Taladradores de la Cana de Azucar (Diatraea spp.) en Venezuela*. 4to. Maracay, 1947. [Departamento de Entomología, Venezuela].

Purchased.

Guignot, F. *Faune de France*, No. 48. *Coléoptères Hydrocanthares*. 8vo. Paris. 1947.

In addition, separates have been presented by the West African Cacao Research Institute, Mr. E. B. Britton, Dr. V. B. Wigglesworth, Mr. W. H. R. Lumsden, Mr. J. S. Taylor, the Lancashire and Cheshire Fauna Committee, the American Entomological Society, Dr. K. B. Lal, Prof. F. Silvestri, the Commonwealth Institute of Entomology, Mr. M. Niblett, the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, Australia, Mr. H. M. Morris, Dr. J. Hadjini-kolau and Dr. J. R. Busvine, and Dr. A. Visnya.

5. Exhibits.

Fellows are particularly requested to bring suitable exhibits to the Meeting even though it may not be possible to announce their intention to do so before hand.

6. Admission of Fellows.

7. Papers accepted for publication in the *Transactions*.

8. Communications.

Mr. H. G. Crawford.

Entomological organization in Canada.

If circumstances permit, tea will be served in the Library before the meeting.

NOTICES

A card index of Fellows' addresses arranged on a geographical basis is now available for the use of Fellows in the Society's Rooms. Addresses in Great Britain are grouped under counties; elsewhere under Dominions, Colonies, Foreign States, etc.

ADMISSION OF FELLOWS

Any Fellow who has not been formally admitted to the Society under Chapter XIV, Section 4 of the Bye-laws and attends the meeting on 1st September, 1948, is requested to inform the Secretary before 5.15 p.m. on that date.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ORDINARY MEETING HELD ON 7TH JULY, 1948.

Dr. C. B. Williams, M.A., President, in the Chair.

Present, 58 Fellows and 6 Visitors.

The minutes of the General Meeting held on 2nd June, 1948, were confirmed, and signed by the President.

The names of the following candidates for election were read: For the first time: Miss B. Bradford, M.Sc., Miss E. M. Debenham, M. A. Ghani, Miss J. Glaholm, J. H. Porter, P. R. Stevenson, and Dr. Luis Vargas.

For the second time: W. Bunting, F. G. W. Jones, M. S. Quraishi, P. P. L. Stevenson, Miss S. Symons, B.Sc., and W. H. Trethowan, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P.

The Secretary read the names of the following newly elected Fellows of the Society: Dr. G. H. Bulow, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., "Bosvean," 13, Woodside Road, Northwood, Middlesex; Capt. R. D. M. Cleaver, M.B.O.U., F.R.H.S., Cavendish, Krombroom Road, Rondebosch, Cape, South Africa; H. Hurst, B.Sc., Ph.D., The Department of Colloid Science, The University, Cambridge; and L. Jones, 76, Gillshill Road, Hull, E. Yorks.

The President, on behalf of the Society, extended a welcome to Mr. F. N. Ratcliffe, of the Australian Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Canberra; Dr. W. T. M. Forbes, of Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., U.S.A., and Dr. E. A. Chapin, of the U.S. National Museum, now on a visit to this country. He also included in these greetings Dr. A. J. Nicholson, also of Canberra, and Mr. R. T. M. Pescott, Director of the National Museum, Melbourne, Fellows of the Society, who were attending the Commonwealth Entomological Conference.

Mr. R. Phillips Dales, Mr. H. E. Goto, Mr. F. H. Latham, Mrs. M. J. Morgan, Mr. N. C. Pant, Mr. R. T. M. Pescott, Mr. K. P. Whitehorn, and Mr. C. S. Wood-Baker signed the Obligation Book and were admitted Fellows of the Society.

Mr. C. N. Hawkins exhibited a specimen of *Tachydromia pallidiventris* Meigen (Diptera EMPIDIDAE) taken at Wimbledon on 5th July, 1948, and its prey *Chiromyia flava* L., which bred in dung and was frequently found in buildings, on windows, in birds' nests and in caves.

Mr. P. G. Taylor exhibited a Mendelian recessive variety of the Poplar Hawk Moth, *Laotloe populi* L.

The meeting was devoted to an account by Mr. F. N. Ratcliffe, a visitor, of the fruits of entomological work in the Australian army from 1942-1946.

N. D. RILEY, *Honorary Secretary*.

The next meeting will be held on 6th October, at 5.30 p.m.

NOTICES

In addition to the *Transactions* and *Proceedings* (Series A, B, and C), the following publications are available on application at the Society's rooms :—

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